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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: PFOR, WA

SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: CALL BY CHIEF KAPUUNO

1. CHIEF CLEMENS KAPUUNO, ACCOMPANIED BY JOHANNES KARUAIHE, ERNST KUHLMANN AND JAMES ENDYCOTT, ASKED TO SEE EMBOFF AND WAS RECEIVED ON MARCH 12. MAIN PURPOSE OF VISIT WAS TO ASK IF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE WOULD BE AVAILABLE FOR KAPUUNO, KARUAIHE AND KUHLMANN TO VISIT U.S. TO TALK WITH U.S. AND UN OFFICIALS ABOUT SUPPORT FOR THEIR NATIONAL UNITY OF DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATIONS. EMBOFF SAID HE COULD NOT GIVE ANSWER, BUT PROMISED FORWARD REQUEST TO DEPARTMENT AND TO TRY TO GET SOME ANSWER TO THEM BEFORE THEY HAVE TO LEAVE LONDON IN NEXT TEN DAYS.

2. AT SAME TIME, KAPUUNO LEFT JOINT STATEMENT ISSUED BY HIMSELF, KARUAIHE AND KUHLMANN DENOUNCING SOUTH AFRICA, UN ASSISTANCE TO SWAPO, AND, OF COURSE, SWAPO. COPIES BEING POUCHED TO ADDRESSEES.

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3. WHEN EMBOFF ASKED HEAD OF CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN AFRICAN DEPARTMENT AT FCO, MARTIN REID, ABOUT VISIT, REID SAID KAPUWO WOULD BE SEEING PARLIAMENTARY UNDER SECRETARY AT FCO, JOAN LESTOR, ON MARCH 14. REID ADDED THAT FCO CURRENTLY TRYING TO FORM ESTIMATE OF STRENGTH AND SUPPORT FOR KAPUWO AND NATIONAL UNITY OF DEMOCRATIC ORGANIZATIONS. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFO DEPARTMENT OR EMBASSY PRETORIA MAY HAVE FOR PASSING ON TO FCO.

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